

## ABSTRACT

5 The invention provides recombinant vectors including adenovirus/adenovirus-associated virus (Ad/AAV) vectors and mini-adenovirus (mAd) vectors. Further, the invention provides cells containing these vectors, and methods for making and using the vectors and cells. The compositions and methods of the invention are useful in transferring nucleotide sequences of interest into a cell, including, but not limited to, in gene therapy applications.